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1. There are from one to two unscheduled weekly flights between Peiping and Sian and between Sian and Tihua via Lanchou. Passengers and cargo on these flights are chiefly military and government personnel, currency, official mail, and small amounts of emergency supplies.
2. Military supplies at the central supply depot in Lanchou arrive by trucks from Sian and Tientsin (105-28, 34-36); the supplies are transported by truck to Ningsia, Tsinghai, and Sinkiang. The 1, 2, and 3 Motor Transport Regiments of the 1 Field Army are respectively at Chiuch'uan (98-33, 39-46), Lanchou, and Sian. The disposition of motor transport companies of the 1 Field Army are as follows:
  - a. The 1, 2, and 3 Motor Transport Companies of the 1 Army Group at Tihua.
  - b. The 4 Motor Transport Company of the 1 Army Group at Hami (93-27, 42-48).
  - c. The 1 Motor Transport Company of the 2 Army Group at Yinch'uan (109- , 36- ).
  - d. The 2 and 3 Motor Transport Companies of the 2 Army Group at Hsining (101-49, 36-37).
  - e. The 4 Motor Transport Company of the 19 Army Group at P'ingliang (106-29, 35-31).

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